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COMMONWEALTH OF VIRGINIA

STATE CORPORATION COMMISSION

AT RICHMOND, October 9, 1998

APPLICATION OF

KMC Telecom of Virginia, Inc.

CASE NO. PUC980141

To expand its service territory for the provision of local exchange service

ORDER PRESCRIBING NOTICE

On September 16, 1998, KMC Telecom of Virginia, Inc.

("KMC") filed its application to expand its service territory

for the provision of local exchange service to encompass the

entire Commonwealth of Virginia. The application notes that

certificate of public convenience and necessity No. T-370 was

granted to KMC on December 19, 1996 to provide local service in

the metropolitan area around Roanoke. The expansion of the

service territory of that certificate requires notice and

opportunity for hearing. Accordingly,

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED THAT:

- (1) This matter is docketed and assigned Case No. PUC980141.
- (2) On or before October 16, 1998, KMC shall complete publication of the following notice, to be published as

classified advertising in newspapers having general circulation throughout the Commonwealth:

NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC OF AN APPLICATION BY

KMC TELECOM OF VIRGINIA, INC.

TO EXPAND THE LOCAL SERVICE TERRITORY OF

ITS CERTIFICATE OF PUBLIC CONVENIENCE AND

NECESSITY TO INCLUDE THE ENTIRE

COMMONWEALTH, CASE NO. PUC980141

On September 16, 1998, KMC Telecom of Virginia, Inc. ("KMC" or "Applicant") filed an application with the State Corporation Commission ("Commission") to expand its local exchange service territory included in its certificate of public convenience and necessity, No. T-370, to encompass the entire Commonwealth.

Currently, certificate No. T-370 allows KMC to offer local exchange service in an area around the City of Roanoke. Unless a hearing is requested or substantial objections are received, the Commission is authorized to grant the expanded service territory, throughout the Commonwealth, without the necessity of conducting a hearing. Copies of KMC's application are available for public inspection between the hours of 8:15 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. in the Commission's Document Control Center located on the first floor of the Tyler Building, 1300 East Main Street, Richmond, Virginia 23219, or can be ordered from KMC's attorney, Eric J. Branfman, Esquire, and Lawrence A. Walke, Esquire, Swidler, Berlin, Shereff, Friedman, LLP, 3000 K Street, N.W., Suite 300, Washington, D.C. 20007.

Any person desiring to comment in writing on KMC's application, or to request a hearing upon the same, may do so by directing such comments or requests, on or before November 6, 1998, to the Clerk of the Commission, c/o Document Control Center,

P.O. Box 2118, Richmond, Virginia 23218, referring to Case No. PUC980141.

KMC TELECOM OF VIRGINIA, INC.

- (3) On or before October 16, 1998, KMC shall give notice of its application to the Division of Consumer Counsel, Office of the Attorney General, 900 East Main Street, Second Floor, Richmond, Virginia 23219, to each local exchange telephone carrier operating in Virginia and to each interexchange carrier certificated in Virginia by personal delivery or first-class mail, postage prepaid, to the customary place of business or residence of the person served. Current lists of those carriers and their addresses are attached as Appendix A and Appendix B.
- (4) Any person desiring to comment in writing upon the application, or to request a hearing upon the same, may do so by directing such comments or requests, on or before November 6, 1998, to the Clerk of the Commission, c/o Document Control Center, P.O. Box 2118, Richmond, Virginia 23218, referring to Case No. PUC980141.
- (5) On or before November 6, 1998, KMC shall provide to the Commission proof of the notice and service as required by ordering paragraphs (2) and (3) above.